

Dear Ed, Relet 29, Mad impossible on anything not insane most of all where he had nothing to contribute. Not now even a name except among a few other nuts.

Colson quotes also insane except for one good line. He found his Christ in the White House and everything he has said and done to this moment is in that crusade.

There were CIA involvements but they did not start the whole thing and are also its victims. Involvements culpable, actionable, so they are panicked and saying and doing little because if they are duped upon they'll be worse off. There has been enormous suppression, by committees, press, etc. I have this all written but can't now repeat.

If they had been in on the WG jobs it would have been professional. What happened is proof positive they had no role! Besides, it is too paranoid for their worst. It is sterling Nixon, not CIA.

But their help to Nixon was much greater than the WG committee went into and they knew. They covered it and him.

There were many other Hunt-Cuban jobs. I have proof on some, again suppressed where known.

Suggest simple test: CIA does not generally waste itself on the pointless. Almost without exception these were pointless adventures the success of which would have been emptiness. The spooks have too many possible targets to be childish.

Best, HW 8/4/74